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Report from Habana—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Re-appearance of yellow fever in Habana Province—Sailing vessels for Gulf ports fumigated and temperatures of passengers for Key West taken—Yellow fever at Santa Clara.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Amesse reports, December 30:

Week ended December 28:

Vessels inspected and bills of health issued.....	21
Vessels not inspected and bills of health issued.....	6
Crew of outgoing vessels inspected.....	1, 110
Crew of outgoing vessels not inspected.....	468
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected.....	527
Passengers of outgoing vessels not inspected.....	19
Vessels fumigated prior to sailing.....	1

Yellow fever reappeared in this Province on December 18, in the person of a Spanish immigrant, 20 years of age, living at Los Palos. The case was isolated in the hospital at Guines, an adjacent town, and officially confirmed December 24. Death resulted December 27.

Sailing vessels bound for Gulf ports are being fumigated, and the temperatures of all passengers for Key West noted. Persons having a temperature above 38° are, by request of the National Sanitary Board, sent to Las Animas Hospital for observation.

January 6. One case of yellow fever at Santa Clara confirmed to-day.

Report from Matanzas—Inspection of vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Nuñez reports, December 31:

Week ended December 28. Two bills of health were granted to vessels leaving for United States ports. No new cases of yellow fever have been reported within this district.

Report from Santiago—Inspection and fumigation of vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wilson reports, December 26:

Week ended December 21.

Bills of health issued to 3 vessels bound for the United States. The Cuban steamship *Julia*, bound for San Juan, P. R., was fumigated to kill mosquitoes. No quarantinable disease has been reported.

GERMANY.

Report from Berlin—Status of cholera in Russia.

The following is received from Consul-General Thackera, under date of December 23:

Cholera in Russia.

According to official statistics published by the Russian Government Gazette and reprinted in the weekly bulletin of the imperial health office at Berlin, there were registered in the whole of the Russian Empire during the period from November 13 to 19, 202 new cases of cholera, with 115 deaths.

During the period from November 20 to 26 the total number of fresh cases of cholera recorded in the Russian Empire amounted to 96, with 62 deaths.

In the city of Kief, according to another report, there were registered, during the period from November 24 to December 7, 24 new cases of cholera and 4 deaths, making the total number of cases in this district since the outbreak of the present epidemic 1,372 cases and 358 deaths.

GUATEMALA.

Report from Guatemala City—Yellow fever on railroad from Puerto Barrios to Guatemala City.

The following information is received from the Department of State, under date of January 2:

The American chargé d'affaires ad interim at Guatemala City states, under date of December 13, that it is reported that yellow fever has again broken out on the line of the railroad from Puerto Barrios to that capital.

Report from Livingston—Yellow fever in interior towns.

Consular Agent Reed reports, December 25:

During the latter part of November and the first days in December there were cases of yellow fever in the town of Zacapa. The disease spread to Chiquimula, a town with a population of 6,000, situated south of Zacapa and the Guatemalan Railroad and at a distance of about 20 miles. At this latter place there have been a number of cases and some deaths. The disease still prevails there.

HAWAII.

Report from Honolulu—Examination of rats for plague infection.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Currie reports that, during the week ended December 14, 194 rats were examined bacteriologically at the plague laboratory of the Service at Honolulu. No plague infection proved. Antirat campaign is continued at Aiea.

INDIA.

Reports from Calcutta—Cholera, plague, and smallpox—Plague in India and Bengal.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Eakins reports, December 5:

During the week ended November 23, 1907, there were 108 deaths from cholera, 18 from plague, and 2 from smallpox in Calcutta. In Bengal, during the same week, 96 cases and 78 deaths from plague, and in India, during the same period, 5,188 cases and 4,000 deaths from plague.